

Appl. No. TBA  
Amendment dated December 8, 2004  
Preliminary Amendment

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

This amendment is simultaneously being filed at the time the application is entering into U.S. National Phase.

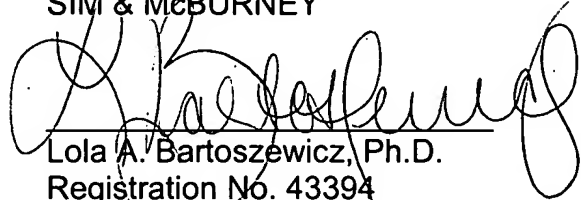
By the foregoing Preliminary Amendment Applicant is amending claims 4, 5, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 19, 21 – 31, 34, 40, 41, and 43 – 45 to reduce the number of multiple dependency claims and to amend the use claims into medicament claims.

It is now asserted that this application is in a condition for examination and thus an Office Action is request at your earliest convenience.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding the foregoing, a telephone call to the undersigned attorney would be welcomed.

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Respectfully Submitted,  
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